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July 26, 2002

Mr. Thomas Lorenz

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Superfund Division
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Re: EPA Contract No. 68-W-01-051; EPA Work Assignment No. 07-YX TechLaw Project No. RR7-K07; St. Louis Army Ammunition Plant Site Visit Trip Report - July 25, 2002

Dear Mr. Lorenz:

Enclosed is the Site Visit Trip Report for the St. Louis Army Ammunition Plant site. This report documents the activities performed by TechLaw Senior Geologist, Steve Bryant, on July 25, 2002.

If you have any questions regarding this submittal, please contact me at (913) 236-0006, extension 104 or Steve Bryant at extension 108.

Sincerely,

TechLaw, Inc.

Fred Molloy

Senior Project Manager

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# SITE VISIT TRIP REPORT JULY 25, 2002 ST. LOUIS ARMY AMMUNITION PLANT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

#### Submitted to:

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#### 1.0 Introduction

Under the Region 7 Regional Oversight Contract [(ROC) Contract No. 68-W-01-051], TechLaw, Inc., (TechLaw) was tasked with providing technical assistance to the EPA Region 7, Superfund Division, Federal Facilities and Special Emphasis Branch. TechLaw was issued Work Assignment Number 07-YX to provide technical oversight support to EPA at the former St. Louis Army Ammunition Plant (SLAAP), in St. Louis, Missouri.

The report that follows documents the activities of TechLaw's Site Visit to SLAAP on July 25, 2002. No field activities were conducted by TechLaw and no photographs were taken. Copies of the field log are included in Attachment 1.

#### 2.0 Site Visit Activities

On July 25, 2002, TechLaw Senior Geologist Steve Bryant was escorted by the EPA Work Assignment Manager, Thomas Lorenz, on a brief tour of the SLAAP site. Prior to the site tour, Mr. Lorenz introduced Mr. Bryant to Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) representative Jim Harris, who also participated in the site tour.

The objective of the tour was to review and discuss planned site activities including the removal of polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) contaminated wastes and demolition debris associated with the demolition of Building 3. The demolition and removal activities are to be conducted by Arrowhead Contracting, Inc., (Arrowhead) and the upcoming site-specific environmental baseline survey (EBS) is to be conducted by URS. Discussions during the site tour also included historical site uses and former on-site processes and significant features. Areas visited included several main buildings on the site, areas of known or suspected PCB and petroleum hydrocarbon contamination, and select areas of previous and planned PCB waste removals in Building 3. Arrowhead personnel were conducting asbestos removal in the basement of Building 3 during the site tour. However, other than air sampling on the exterior of the asbestos removal containment area, no sampling or other site activities were observed during the site tour.

Areas of oily-stained concrete at the east on the second floor of Building 3 were observed by Mr. Lorenz, Mr. Harris, and Mr. Bryant during the site tour. However, no indication of previous soil coring/sampling in these areas were observed. Mr. Lorenz stated that this issue will be brought to the attention of Ms. Sandy Olinger, Project Manager for the U. S. Army Aviation and Missile Command.

Mr. Lorenz stated that he will task TechLaw to conduct split sampling during the site-specific EBS. However, Mr. Lorenz did not discuss specific details regarding the split samples to be collected (media types, number of split samples, locations of split samples, among others) during the site visit. Mr. Lorenz, however, did provide Mr. Bryant with verbal instructions to prepare a Sampling and Analysis Plan for the split sampling.

The site tour was conducted from approximately 10:15 AM until approximately 1:20 PM.

## ATTACHMENT 1 FIELD LOG

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